

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

DUSTIN WINKLER and JODI)	
WINKLER, as next friends of M.W., a)	
minor,)	
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Plaintiffs,)	
)	
vs.)	Case No. CIV-21-730-F
)	
SAEXPLORATION SEISMIC)	
SERVICES, LLC, and,)	
FRANCISCO JAVIER GARCIA)	
)	
Defendants.)	

ORDER APPROVING COMPROMISE SETTLEMENT

On this 13th day of July, 2022, this cause comes on for hearing by agreement pursuant to the parties' request for an Order Approving Compromise Settlement. Plaintiffs, Dustin Winkler and Jodi Winkler, as parents and next friends of M.W., a minor, appear in person and by their attorney, Clint Claypole. Defendants appear by their attorney, Ashley M. Thul.

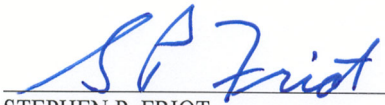
Whereupon, the parties offered their evidence, and the Court being fully advised and upon due consideration, finds, in light of the injuries allegedly sustained by M.W, a minor, and in light of the disputed liability, that the settlement of the claims of M.W., a minor, in the amount of **TWENTY-THREE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS and 00/100 CENTS (\$23,200.00)**, is hereby approved. The Court hereby finds that said settlement is fair, reasonable, and in the best interests of M.W., a minor.

It is therefore ordered by the Court that the above settlement amounts be distributed as follows, pursuant to 12 O.S. § 83:

- a. Plaintiffs' attorney will receive **EIGHT THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS and 00/100 CENTS (\$8,200.00)** for full payment of outstanding attorneys' fees and for reimbursement of any necessary expenses incurred by counsel in the course of his representation of Plaintiffs.
- b. The remaining amount, **FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS and 00/100 CENTS (\$15,000)**, will be paid to M.W., a minor, and shall be deposited in Stride Bank as repository of the settlement funds which shall not be withdrawn prior to the eighteenth (18th) birthday of said M.W, a minor, without further order of the Court.

Wherefore, it is ordered, adjudged and decreed that the proceeds received by the Plaintiffs, Dustin Winkler and Jodi Winkler, as parents and next friends of M.W., a minor, be so distributed. Further, this Court authorizes Dustin Winkler and Jodi Winkler to execute a Release in Full of All Claims asserted on behalf of M.W. a minor.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 13th day of July, 2022.


STEPHEN P. FRIOT
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

APPROVED:

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